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**REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

Responsive to the requirement for an election of species dated May 17, 2007, for searching purposes, Applicant hereby elects SEQ ID NO: 69 of the Group SEQ ID NO: 63-71 and SEQ ID NO: 1 of the Group SEQ ID NO: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 46, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, and 61 as the species. Claims readable on the elected species are 22-42.

An extension of time to respond to the Restriction Requirement is respectfully requested. A Petition for an Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently.

Respectfully submitted,

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